



S/N 10/820,911

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant:	Michael E. Littau et al.	Examiner:	Gordon J. Stock, Jr.
Serial No.:	10/820,911	Group Art Unit:	2877
Filed:	April 8, 2004	Docket No:	31162-1011
Title	Determination of Center of Focus by Parameter Variability Analysis		

**PETITION FOR A TWO-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O.Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

In accordance with the provision of 37 CFR § 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a one-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the office action mailed November 2, 2004, said period of response being extended from February 2, 2005 to April 2, 2005.

**Our check in the amount of \$225.00 is enclosed to cover the required extension fee. Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to deposit Account No. 13-4213.**

Respectfully Submitted

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